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Sir:

Submitted herewith are the following documents for filing in the above-referenced application:

- 1. Amendment after Final under 37 C.F.R. §1.116;
- 2. Marked-up Version of the Claims;
- 3. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement with PTO 1449 and (5) References;

The claims are calculated below:

	Number of		Highest	Extra				
_	Claims		Number of	Claims				
			Claims			1		
			Paid for					
Total Claims	17	-	20	0	x \$18		0	
Independent Claims	3	-	3	0	x \$84		0	
Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s) +\$280							0	
Subtotal						\$	0	
Reduction by 1/2 if small entity						-	0	
TOTAL CLAIMS FEE						\$	0	

- 4. A Notice of Appeal and the fee of \$160.00;
- 5. Petition for Three Month Extension of Time and the fee of \$460.00;

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6. A check in the amount of \$180.00 for the Information Disclosure Statement;

7. A check in the amount of \$620.00 to cover the above fees for Extension of Time and Notice of Appeal Fee.

Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this Amendment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1710.

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